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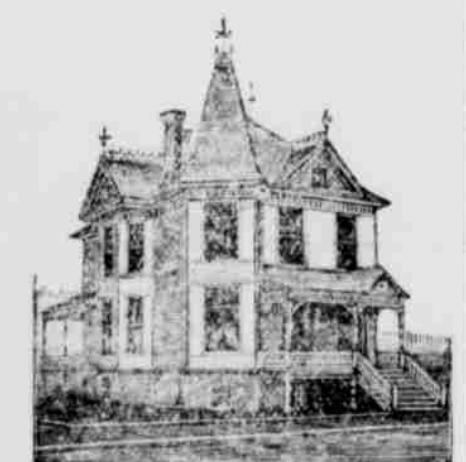
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**Stolen Jewelry Recovered.**  
Jackson, May 19.—About \$400 worth of the jewelry recently stolen from the home of Henry Hayden, in this city, by James Williams, an ex-convict employed as hostler, has been located and recovered at Lansing. Constable Tobin, who has charge of the case, believes he is on the track of Williams and the remainder of the stolen articles, valued at over \$2,000.

**Changing Style of Bridge.**  
St. Joseph, May 19.—The Big Four began here the work of making over into a swing bridge its trestle near the mouth of the Paw Paw river, in pursuance of the orders of the war department, and it is believed that this compliance with Uncle Sam's directions will relieve the officials of the road from the proceedings in the courts that have been threatened.

**Will Meet in Detroit.**  
Detroit, May 20.—The annual convention of the Catholic Knights and Ladies of America will open in Detroit Tuesday, May 27, and continue three days. James H. Crumley, of 606 Fourteenth avenue, who is the supreme president of the order, says about 350 delegates will be in attendance. The convention will be held at the Hotel Cadillac.

**Will Meet in Indiana.**  
Lansing, May 19.—It has been decided to hold the annual reunion of the old Fourth Michigan infantry at Angola, Ind., June 20. Many of the members were recruited from Stensben county, Ind., but this is the first time its reunion has been held outside the state of Michigan.

**Big Land Deal.**  
Menominee, May 19.—Twenty-three thousand acres of Menominee county land has just been deeded to William Kent, of Chicago, by the Kirby-Carpenter Lumber company. The consideration is not given. This deed practically cleans up Kirby-Carpenter land in Menominee county.

**Fatally Injured.**  
Battle Creek, May 20.—William H. Cramer, aged 35 and unmarried, was riding on top of a Michigan Central box car en route to Marshall, when he fell under the cars and had his right arm and right leg smashed. He lived but three hours after reaching the Nichols hospital here.

**Chronic Bronchitis Cured.**  
"For ten years I had chronic bronchitis so bad that at times I could not speak above a whisper," writes Mr. Joseph Cottman, of Montmorency, Ind. "I tried all remedies available, but with no success. Fortunately my employer suggested that I try Foley's Honey and Tar. Its effect was almost miraculous, and I am now cured of the disease. On my recommendation many people have used Foley's Honey and Tar, and always with satisfaction." Sharrar & Mulholland.

Smiles are the higher and better responses of nature to the emotion of the soul.

**Foley's Kidney Cure** makes kidneys and bladder right. Don't delay taking. Sharrar & Mulholland.

A thimbleful of theory to a pound of practice is about the right proportion.

Foley's Honey and Tar contains no opiates, and will not constipate like nearly all other cough medicines. Refuse substitutes. Sharrar & Mulholland.

A pessimist is one who is always expecting bad luck and is surprised when it comes.

**Won't Follow Advice After Paying For It.**

In a recent article a prominent physician says, "It is next to impossible for the physician to get his patients to carry out any prescribed course of hygiene or diet to the smallest extent; he has but one resort left, namely, the drug treatment." When medicines are used for chronic constipation, the most mild and gentle obtainable, such as Chamberlain's Stomach & Liver Tablets, should be employed. Their use is not followed by constipation as they leave the bowels in a natural and healthy condition. For sale by Bivins & Rhodes.

That's men that would sell the American flag for money to buy votes with.

**Dreadful Attack of Whooping Cough.**

Mrs. Ellen Harrison, of 300 Park Ave., Kansas City, Mo., writes as follows: "Our two children had a severe attack of whooping cough, one of them in the paroxysm of coughing would often faint and bleed at the nose. We tried everything we heard of without getting relief. We then called in our family doctor who prescribed Foley's Honey and Tar. With the very first dose they began to improve and we feel that it has saved their lives. Refuse substitute. Sharrar & Mulholland.

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**Whooping Cough.**  
A woman who has experience with this disease, tells how to prevent any dangerous consequences from it. She says: Our three children took whooping cough last summer, our baby boy being only three months old, owing to our giving them Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, they lost none of their plumpness and came out in much better health than other children whose parents did not use this remedy. Our oldest little girl would call lastly for cough syrup between whoops—Josie Pinky Hall, Springfield, Ala. This Remedy is for sale by Bivins & Rhodes.

**AN OIL COMBINE.**  
Michigan Diamond Oil Company, with Capital of \$6,000,000 Is Formed at Detroit.

Detroit, May 19.—Seven oil companies having their offices in Detroit and doing business in Texas, have been consolidated under the laws of South Dakota into one big concern known as the Michigan Diamond Oil company, with a capital of \$6,000,000. The companies thus amalgamated are the Michigan & Beaumont Oil and Refining company, the Detroit & Saginaw Valley Oil and Refining company, the Detroit & Spindletop Oil and Refining company, the Wolverine Oil and Refining company, the Peninsula Oil and Refining company, the Ohio Oil and Refining company and the Diamond Oil company. The consolidated company owns five of the best gushers in the Spindletop field, also land enough on Spindletop to drill ten more wells, besides 11 acres at the edge of the hill, about 1,500 acres in the adjacent territory, and a mineral lease on about 30,000 acres.

**State Will Not Sue.**  
Lansing, May 19.—County Treasurer Buhner, of Wayne county, would like to have the state look to the City savings bank receiver for the \$125,000 inheritance tax money which he had on deposit in that institution when it closed its doors, and recently he wrote the auditor general suggesting that the state commence suit against the bank to recover. Upon the advice of the attorney general a letter has been written Treasurer Buhner stating that the state proposes to hold him personally responsible for the money.

**Will Establish Parochial Schools.**  
Battle Creek, May 20.—The Seventh Day Adventists announce that they will conduct a summer school for the training of teachers at their new college in Berrien Springs from July 12 to August 20. The Adventists are going to withdraw their children from the public schools, and start what they call church schools, or parochial schools, with their own teachers. They want to supply teachers for 2,000 Adventist schools in this country.

**Captured Again.**  
Marquette, May 19.—Officers of the penitentiary here have been advised that Hiram Haynes, a trusty, who escaped two months ago, has been recaptured at Roscoe, Wis., where he has relatives. He was arrested by the city marshal, who will get the reward. Haynes was under six years' sentence for horse stealing, and, allowing one year for good behavior, had but a few months to serve at the time of his escape.

**Piece for a Veteran.**  
Lansing, May 20.—Gov. Bliss has appointed David Blair, of Owosso, county agent for Shiawassee county, to succeed Henry M. King, deceased. In this appointment Gov. Bliss followed his usual rule and appointed a veteran of the civil war.

**May File Bill.**  
Washington, D. C., May 20.—The United States supreme court has granted leave to the United States to file a bill of complaint against the state of Michigan. The case involves an accounting in connection with St. Mary's ship canal.

**MAY STOP ALL THE MINES**  
Anthracite Coal Miners Prepare for a Bitter Struggle That Will Paralyze Industries.  
NATIONAL CONVENTION WILL DECIDE.

Extension of the Strike to All Coal Miners in the United States, Involving 145,000 Men, Is Contemplated—Some Doubt the Success of Such a Movement.

Hazleton, Pa., May 17.—The anthracite mine workers in convention Friday, in order to win their strike, unanimously decided upon a plan that if carried into successful operation, would practically tie up the industries of the country, paralyze business and inconvenience the people throughout the United States. It is their desire that a special national convention of the United Mine Workers of America be called as soon as practicable for the purpose of endeavoring to have all the bituminous mine workers, both organized and unorganized, involved in the anthracite miners' struggle. This announcement was officially made at noon Friday by President John Mitchell in a statement giving the result of the deliberations of the delegates in convention. This statement is as follows:

**Statement Issued by Mitchell.**  
"As this movement is a strike, the convention petitioned the national officers to issue a call for a national convention of all mine workers in the United States for the purpose of considering the situation in the anthracite field. If the desire of the anthracite miners is carried into effect a national suspension of coal mining will be consummated. As questions of detail as to the execution of the strike in the anthracite field were referred to the district and national officers, definite plans will be outlined within the next few days. For the present the strikers, firemen and pump-runners will continue at work. All mine workers were advised to remain at their homes, abstain from frequenting saloons and under all circumstances observe the law."

**Effect Far-Reaching.**  
If a special national convention is called and the miners succeed in their object it would directly affect 145,000 men, who are employed in and about the coal mines of the country. Coal would soon become scarce and this would ultimately result in the tying up of railroads and all sorts of industries that use large quantities of the fuel. It is doubted by some interested persons here who are closely watching developments that such a stupendous movement could be brought about, for the reason that the business interests of the country would not stand idly by and permit such a plan to be put into effect.

**No Disturbances.**  
Notwithstanding that 145,000 men have been idle for the last five days, no disturbances of any kind have been reported here. The region is extremely quiet. All the delegates left for their homes Friday and Hazleton presents a deserted appearance. All of the local unions throughout the coal field held meetings Friday afternoon or night and received reports from their convention delegates. Steps were taken by most of the "locals" to give relief to the members, if needed. They expect a long strike.

**Strike Averted.**  
Hazleton, Pa., May 19.—All differences between the operators and miners of the Springfield, Ill., district have been adjusted and there will be no strike there for a year at least.

**Will Give Little Credit.**  
Scranton, Pa., May 20.—At a meeting Monday night the Retail Grocers' association decided to restrict credit during the pendency of the strike. The wholesalers in the afternoon decided to demand cash payments from the retailers.

**Great Strike in Sweden.**  
Stockholm, May 19.—A general strike ordered by the social democrats ties up all business of the country. The strike is to force granting of universal suffrage.

**Made Money for the State.**  
Lansing, May 19.—Inspector Judson has filed his quarterly report with the board of state auditors. It shows that \$1,000 will be turned into the treasury for the quarter ending March 31, over and above the expenses of inspecting illuminating oils in the state.

**A Lucky Find.**  
Grand Haven, May 19.—John Klenz dug up \$50 in gold in his yard. Within the past three weeks he has found over \$800 there is gold and old paper currency, including nearly \$100 in shipplasters.

**Retail Coal Dealers.**  
Detroit, May 20.—The eighth annual convention of the Michigan and Indiana Retail Coal association is to be held in the convention hall of the Russell hotel, Detroit, on Wednesday, May 28.

**Sudden Death of a Boy.**  
Brighton, May 19.—Summie Broadmore, aged 11 years, was found dead on the edge of the mill pond in this village, having fallen in a spasm. He was the son of Mr. and Mrs. George Broadmore.

**Hanged Himself.**  
Dexter, May 19.—Despondent on account of sickness, Thomas Rabbit, a wealthy farmer of Dexter, committed suicide by hanging himself.

**Boer Losses.**  
London, May 19.—Lord Kitchener's figures showed 13,500 Boers left in the field on July 8, 1901, and since then he has killed or captured 17,250 without appreciable decrease in fighters.

Takes the burn out; heals the wound; cures the pain. Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil, the household remedy.

Patience is a woman's long suit when her children are annoying the neighbors.

**Stand Like a Stone Wall**  
Between your children and the tortures of itching and burning eczema, scaldhead or other skin diseases. How? Why, by using Bucklen's Arnica Salve, earth's greatest healer. Quickest cure for ulcers, fever sores, salt rheum, cuts, burns or bruises. Infalible for piles. 25c at Sharrar & Mulholland's drug store.

A woman jumps at a conclusion and wins; a man hesitates and loses.

**Wants Others to Know.**

"I have used DeWitt's little Early Risers for constipation and torpid liver and they are all right. I am glad to endorse them for I think when we find a good thing we ought to let others know it," writes Alfred Heinze, Quincy, Ill. They never gripe or distress. Sure, safe pills. Bivins & Rhodes.

When a young man squeezes an heiress she is apt to be pressed for money.

**Don't Start Wrong.**

Don't start the summer with a lingering cough or cold. We all know what a "summer cold" is. It's the hardest kind to cure. Often it "hangs on" through the entire season. Take it in hand right now. A few doses of One Minute Cough Cure will set you right. Sure cure for coughs, colds, croup, grip, bronchitis, all throat and lung troubles. Absolutely safe. Acts at once. Children like it. "One Minute Cough Cure" is the best cough medicine ever used," says J. H. Bowles, Groveton, N. H. "I never found anything else that acted so safely and quickly." Bivins & Rhodes.

The Goddess of Liberty never attended a woman's suffrage convention in her life.

**Pneumonia is Robbed of its Terrors**

By Foley's Honey and Tar. It stops the hacking cough and heals and strengthens the lungs. If taken in time it will prevent an attack of pneumonia. Refuse substitutes. Sharrar & Mulholland.

Common sense is not so common as some men think it is.

**Sciatic Rheumatism Cured after Fourteen Years of Suffering**

"I have been afflicted with sciatic rheumatism for fourteen years," says Josh Edgar, of Germantown, Cal. "I was able to be around but constantly suffered. I tried everything I could hear of and at last was told to try Chamberlain's Pain Balm, which I did and was immediately relieved, and in a short time cured, and I am happy to say it has not since returned." Why not use this liniment and get well? It is for sale by Bivins & Rhodes.

Revenge is sweet—but only in the hands of a fool.

**A Cashier Testifies.**  
Pepsin Syrup Co., Monticello, Ill.  
Gentlemen:—After twenty years of aches and pains caused by constipation brought on by sedentary habits, I have found more relief in two bottles of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin than all of the hundreds of other remedies I have tried, and I take pleasure in giving you this testimony, believing you have the finest preparation made for stomach troubles.  
Yours truly, D. F. LANGE,  
Cashier Wabash R. R., East St. Louis, Ind. Sold by Sharrar & Mulholland.

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All diseases of Kidneys, Bladder, Urinary Organs. Also: Rheumatism, Backache, Heart Disease, Gravel, Dropsy, Female Troubles.  
Don't become discouraged. There is a cure for you. If necessary write Dr. Fenner. He has spent a life time curing just such cases as yours. All consultations Free.  
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